

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Edward L. Stahl

Application No.: 10/582,165

Confirmation No.: 1843

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Examiner: N. M. ELOSHWAY

Art Unit: 3781

For: Three Level Nestable Stacking Containers

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED MAY 13, 2009

Dear Sir:

This Reply is submitted in response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed May 13, 2009. The original period for response was a shortened statutory period of three (3) months from the mailing date of the Official Action. Accordingly, the period for response is set to expire on August 13, 2009. This Reply is submitted prior to the expiration of the period for response.

In response to the Non-Final Office Action of May 13, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.